第2節 CHAPTER 2: TWO NUMBER TENS
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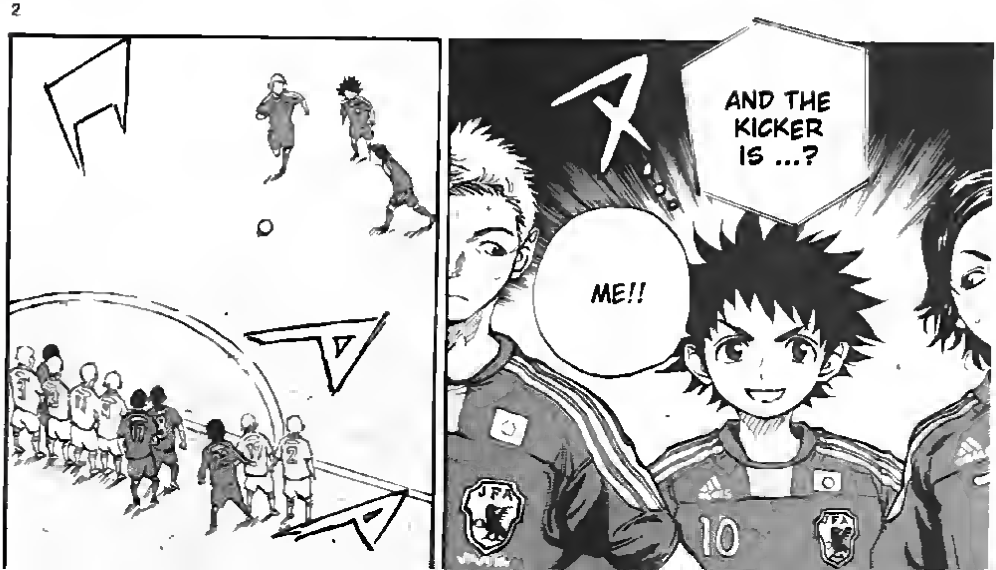
THEY ARE IN A PERFECT POSITION FOR A FREE KICK!
NOW!
WHO FROM JAPAN IS GOING TO TAKE IT?
THE ONE WITH THE CLEAREST AIM, OF COURSE!


AND THE KICKER IS ...?
ME!!

ICHIJOU
....
RYUU!!

RYUU-CHAN!
SFX: THUD
WAKE UP!!
SFX: POKE

MORNING, RYUU-CHAN
...GET OFF, YUKI...
YOU'RE HEAVY ...
YOU'RE GONNA BE LATE FOR THE MATCH, YOU KNOW?
OHURA
8

AH...
...
WE'RE ENTERTING THE FINAL TOURNAMENT TODAY!
FOR THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP, YOU KNOW!?
I WON'T UNTIL YOU WAKE UP!
CRAAAAAAP...
WE DON'T WANT TO HEAR THAT FROM YOU!!
OHURA 8
OHURA 28
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MY FIRST PLAN WOULD HAVE RAN INTO A SERIOUS PROBLEM IF IT WASN'T FOR YOU
THANKS, YUKI...
YOU'RE SUCH A SLEEPY HEAD, EVEN DURING SUCH AN IMPORTANT TIME FOR US, RYUU-CHAN

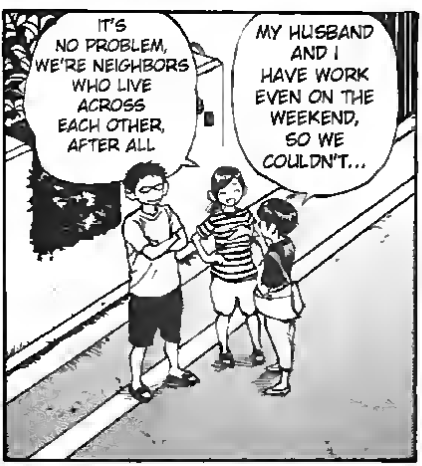
DO YOUR BEST, KIDS!
WE'LL COME TO CHEER FOR YOU LATER

WE'RE GOING NOW!

OUME-SAN, THANK YOU FOR ALWAYS TAKING CARE OF HIM

RYUU-CHAN IS DIFFERENT FROM OUR KIDS,
HE'S BEEN GETTING MORE AND MORE SERIOUS ABOUT FOOTBALL LATELY...

STILL, I'M SURE YOU'D REALLY COME WATCH HIM IF YOU COULD ...


IT'S NO PROBLEM, WE'RE NEIGHBORS WHO LIVE ACROSS EACH OTHER, AFTER ALL
MY HUSBAND AND I HAVE WORK EVEN ON THE WEEKEND, SO WE COULDN'T...

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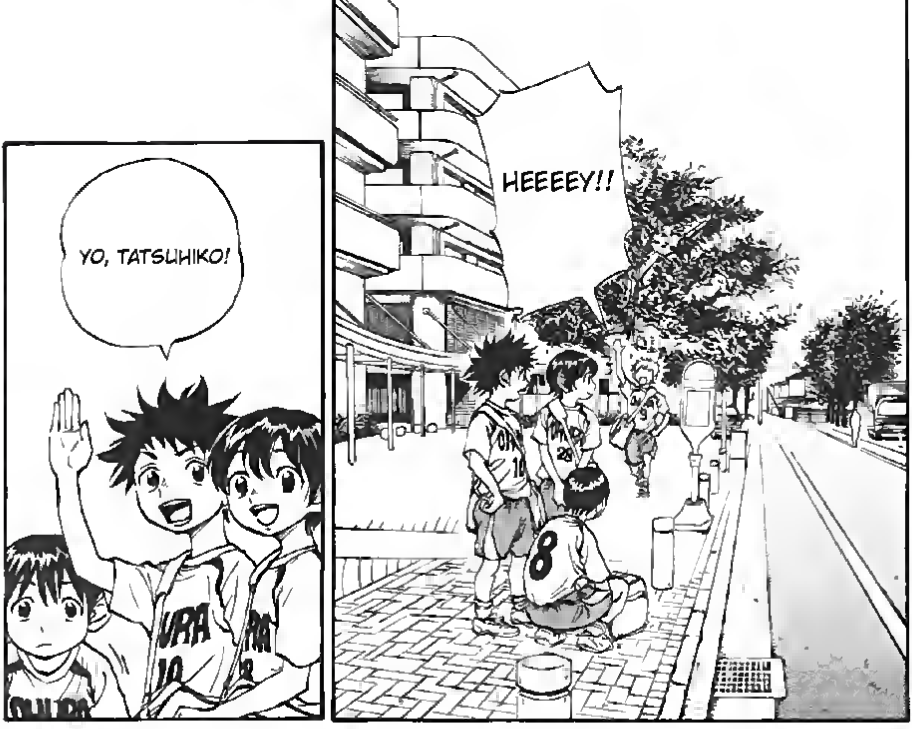
I'M NOT SO SURE ...
MAYBE HE CAN EVEN GO PRO ONE DAY...
MAAAAN...


YO, TATSUHIKO!
HEEEEY!!

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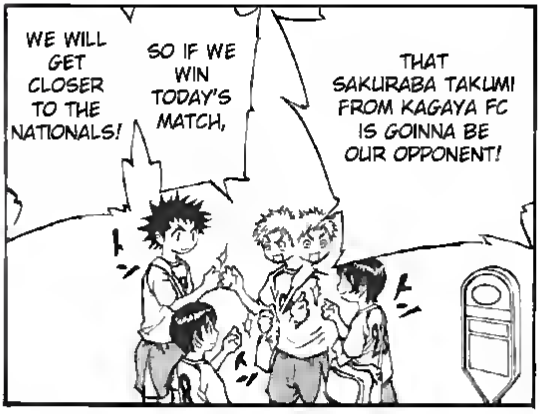
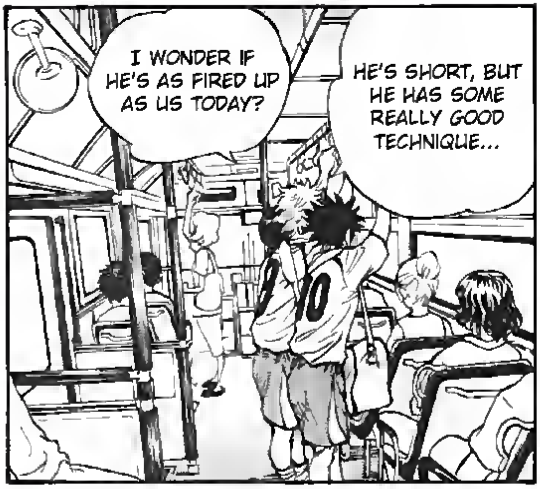

WE WILL GET CLOSER TO THE NATIONALS!
SO IF WE WIN TODAY'S MATCH,
THAT SAKURABA TAKUMI FROM KAGAYA FC IS GOINNA BE OUR OPPONENT!

WE'RE ENTERING THE FINAL TOURNAMENT TODAY!
THAT MEANS!
TODAY'S THE TURNING POINT OF EVERYTHING!

THIS SAKURABA,
HE USED TO GO TO THE SAME TRAINING CENTER AS YOU AND RYUU-CHAN, RIGHT, TATSUHIKO?


I WONDER IF HE'S AS FIRED UP AS US TODAY?
HE'S SHORT, BUT HE HAS SOME REALLY GOOD TECHNIQUE...

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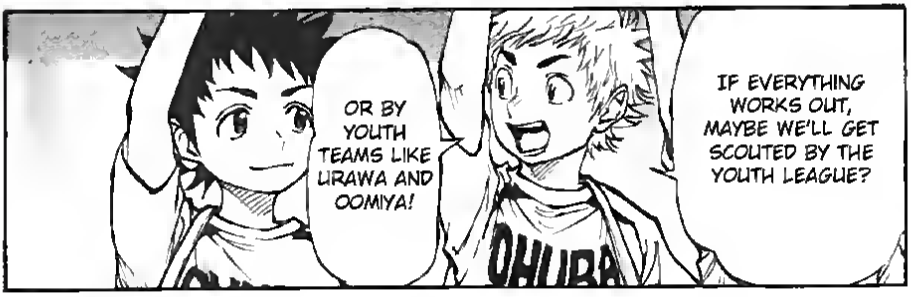
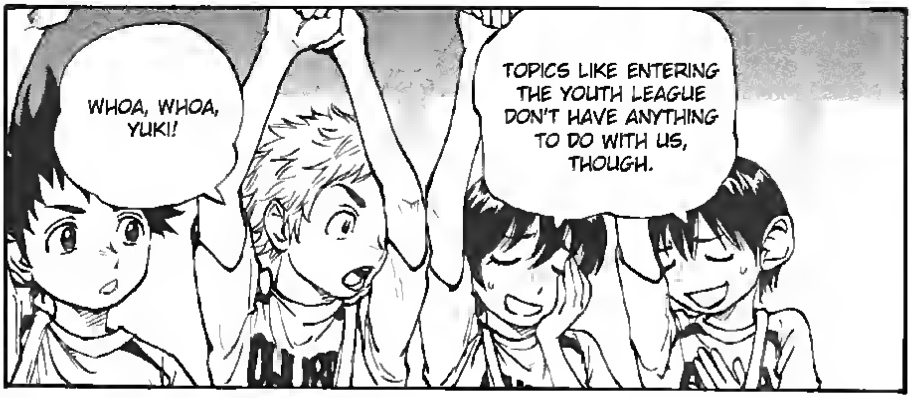
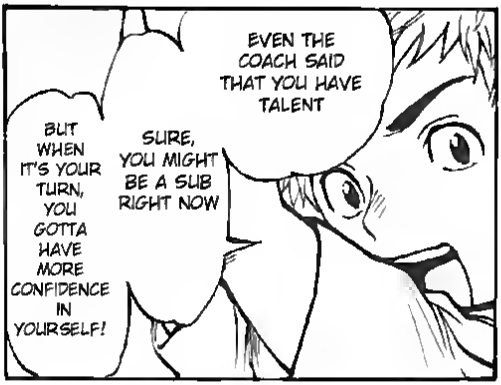

OR BY YOUTH TEAMS LIKE URAWA AND OOMIYA!
IF EVERYTHING WORKS OUT, MAYBE WE'LL GET SCOUTED BY THE YOUTH LEAGUE?

ALRIGHT! I'VE GOTTA WORK HARD TO SHOW OFF MY TALENT TOO!!

I'M EXICTED ABOUT THIS TOO.
CAUSE ENTERING THE YOUTH LEAGUE,
IS THE FIRST STEP IN MY PLAN TO BECOME A JAPAN REPRESENTATIVE.


WHOA, WHOA, YUKI!
TOPICS LIKE ENTERING THE YOUTH LEAGUE DON'T HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH US, THOUGH.

THANKS, TATSUHIKO.
I'LL TRY


EVEN THE COACH SAID THAT YOU HAVE TALENT
SURE, YOU MIGHT BE A SUB RIGHT NOW
BUT WHEN IT'S YOUR TURN, YOU GOTTA HAVE MORE CONFIDENCE IN YOURSELF!

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AND YUUTO,
YOU GOTTA BE MORE FIRED UP ABOUT THIS!
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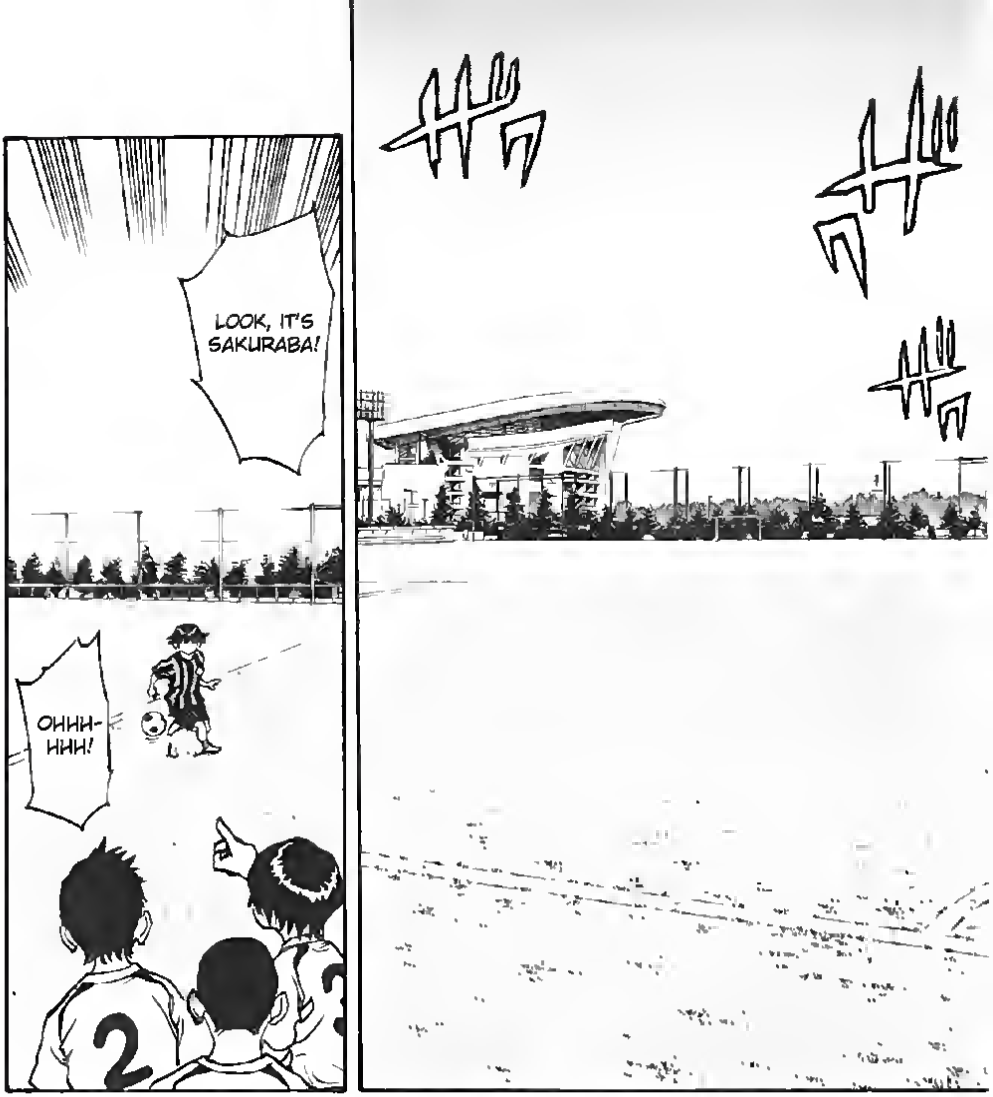

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EHHHHHHHH!?
RYUU-CHAN IS REALLY GOOD TOO...
LIKE I THOUGHT ...
HE'S REALLY GOOD...
RYUU-CHAN IS OBVIOUSLY BETTER!
I THINK THEY'RE ABOUT THE SAME AS EACH OTHER, THOUGH...
HE'S COMING THIS WAY.
HUH?

A"
A"
HOH
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PUHA-HA-HAH!
PFFT!
YOU GUYS LOOK THE SAME AS EACH OTHER! THAT'S HILARIOUS!
WHAT WAS THAT?

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SO YOU TWO WERE THE ONES WHO DID THAT SWITCHING THING?

HEY EVERYONE! LOOK AT THESE TWO!
THEY WERE THE ONES WNO DID THE SWITCH-ING!!
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EVERY-ONE!!
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STOP THAT!

WHAT THE HELL, SUKURABA! QUIT MESSING AROUND!!
OHURA
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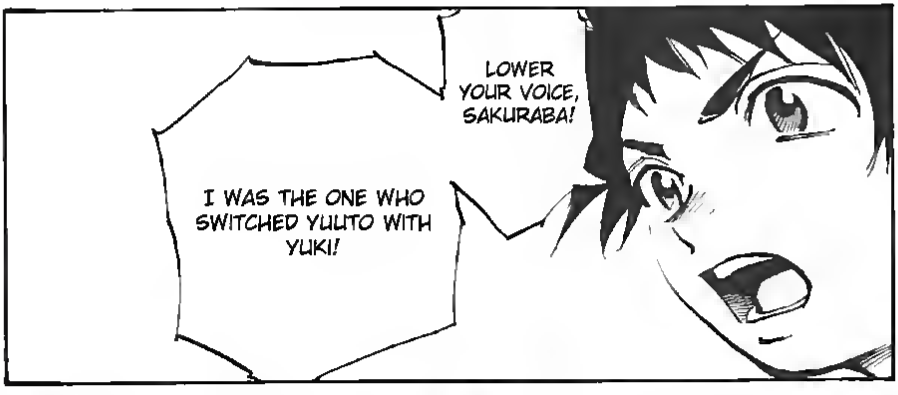
ICHIJOU ...
YOU HEAR !?


LOWER YOUR VOICE, SAKURABA!
I WAS THE ONE WHO SWITCHED YUUTO WITH YUKI!

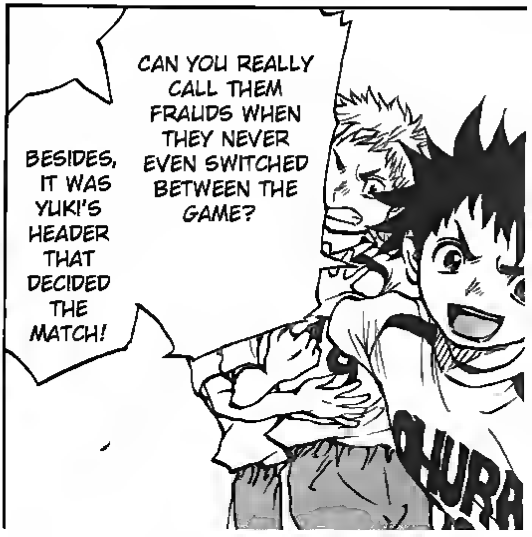
HUH?

SOOOOOOOOO, YOU'RE THE MASTERMIND BEHIND THOSE FRAUDS, THEN.

WHAT DID YOU SAY, YOU...

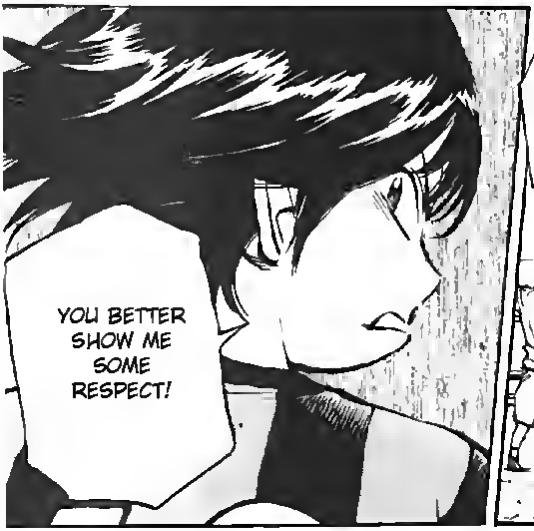
LOOK, YOU...

HUH?
WHAT'S THIS...


BESIDES, IT WAS YUKI'S HEADER THAT DECIDED THE MATCH!
CAN YOU REALLY CALL THEM FRAUDS WHEN THEY NEVER EVEN SWITCHED BETWEEN THE GAME?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
HEY, YOU OVER THERE!

DON'T LOOK DOWN ON ME.


YOU BETTER SHOW ME SOME RESPECT!

THAT WOULD BE SO RUDE TO THIS GREAT SAKURABA AND HIS AMAZING TECHNIQUES.
TO THINK THERE WOULD BE PEOPLE
SHE-ESH...

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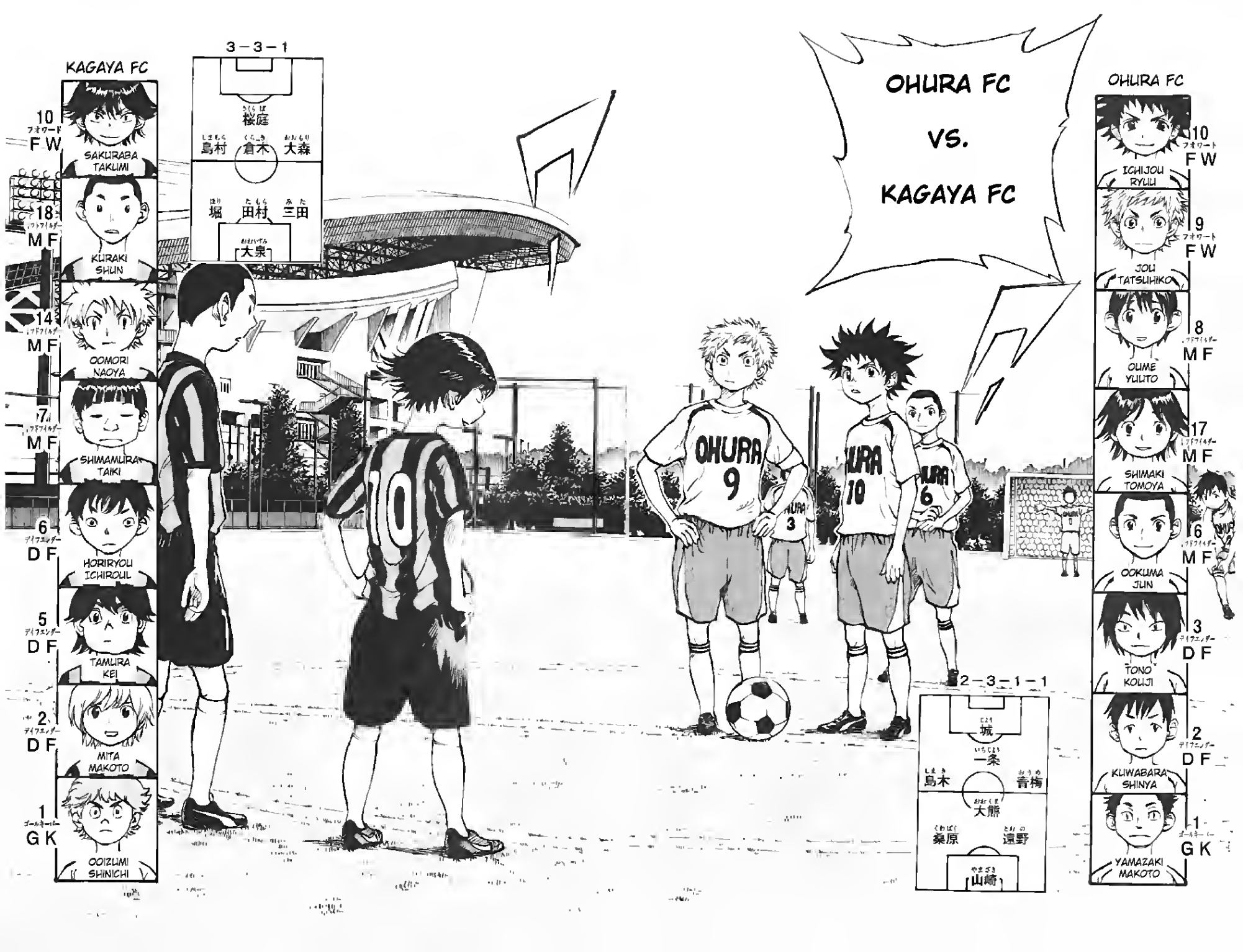
HMM...

THAT DAMN SAKURABA, HE HASN'T CHANGED AT ALL!


KAGAYA FC
3－3－1
桜庭
島村 倉木 大森
堀 田村 三田
大泉
10 フォワード FW
SAKURABA TAKUMI
18 ミッドフィルダー MF
KURAKI SHUN
14 ミッドフィルダー MF
OOMORI NAOYA
7 ミッドフィルダー MF
SHIMAMURA TAIKI
6 ディフェンダー DF
HORIRYOU ICHIROU
5 ディフェンダー DF
TAMURA KEI
2 ディフェンダー DF
MITA MAKOTO
1 ゴールキーパー GK
OOIZUMI SHINICHI
OHURA FC
VS.
KAGAYA FC
OHURA FC
10 フォワード FW
ICHIJOU RYUU
9 フォワード FW
JOU TATSUHIKO
8 ミッドフィルダー MF
OUME YUUTO
17 ミッドフィルダー MF
SHIMAKI TOMOYA
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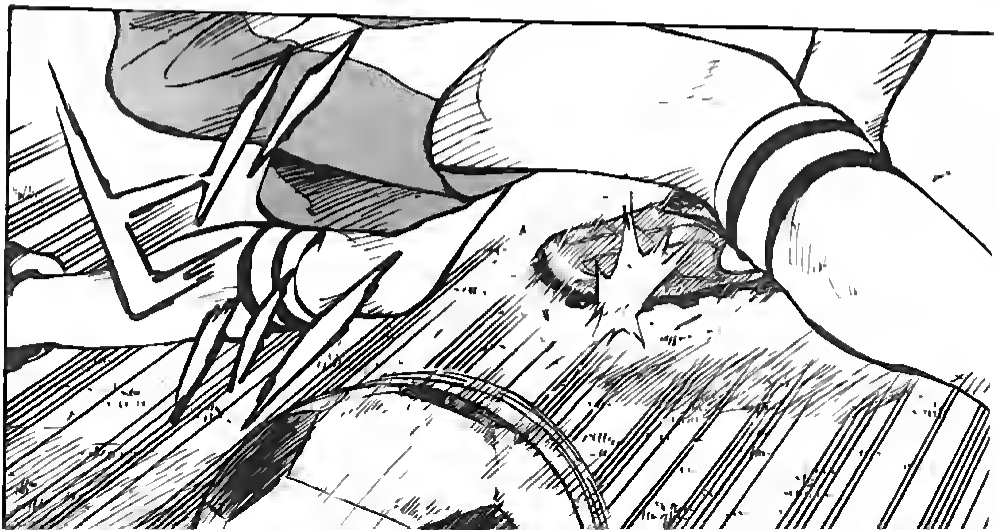
OOKUMA JUN
3 ディフェンダー DF
TONO KOUJI
2 ディフェンダー DF
KUWABARA SHINYA
1 ゴールキーパー GK
YAMAZAKI MAKOTO
2－3－1－1
城
一条
島木 青梅
大熊
桑原 遠野
山崎

SAKURABA GOT THE BALL!!
DO YOU BEST, YUUTO!
DEFENSE!!

WAH ...
WAH ...
WAH ...
ORA!
ORA!
ORA!
ORA!

PSYCH!
WAH!
HE GOT THROUGH ...
NOT GOOD!
KAGAYA'S NUMBER 10...
WHAT A GREAT STEP OVER!
WILL HE SHOOT!?
HAH...

HA!
OHUR 3
BLOCK !!
OHURA



KAGAYA FC HAS GOT A HEAD START!!
SAKURABAA!!!
HE SPECTACULARLY SHOT THROUGH THE BLOCK OF THE DEFENDER!
WHAT AMAZING COMPOSURE!
HOW ABOUT THAT, FRALID!?
.....
OHURA
8
DON'T MIND IT, YUUTO!
THAT KID'S GOOD ...
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URGHH!!

GOT YOUR RESPECT YET!?
MY TURN THIS TIME.
OH, I'LL SHOW YOU RESPECT.
RYUU...

GO, RYUU-CHAN!
RIGHT! RIGHT!
MARK!
OHURA 10
HE'S CUTTING IN!!
DUMBASS! THAT'S A BAIT...
WAIT!
I'LL STEAL THE BALL...!
TOO SLOW ...

CHURA
10

THAT'S A TOUGH MOVE!
HE PRETENDED TO GIVE HIS OPPONENTS THE CHANCE TO STEAL THE BALL JUST TOSHAKE THEM OFF ALL AT ONCE...
RYUJI'S SIGNATURE RAPID ACCELERATED CUT-IN MOVE!!!
CHURA
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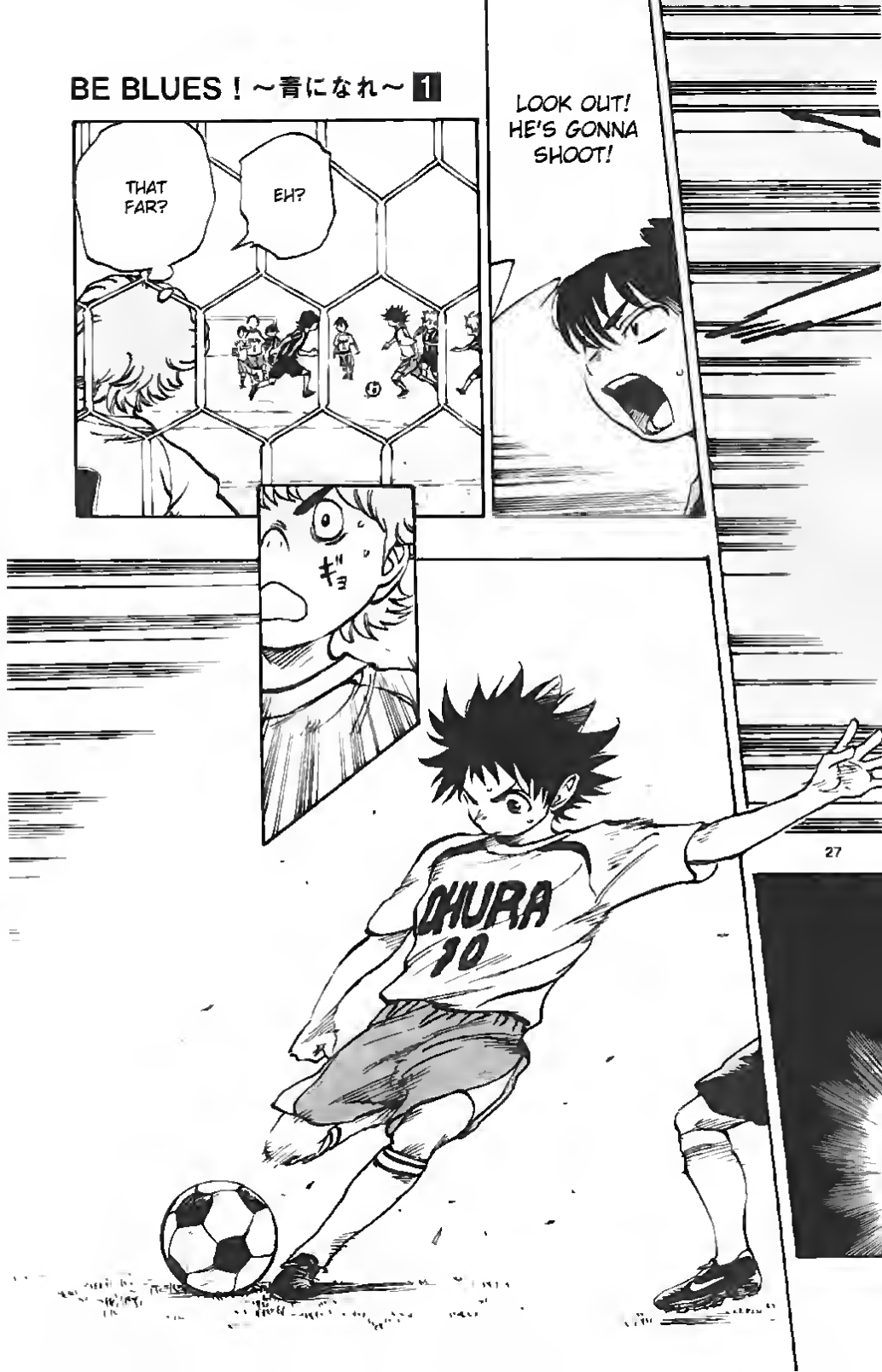
GOOOOO!


THAT FAR?
EH?
LOOK OUT! HE'S GONNA SHOOT!
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OHURA
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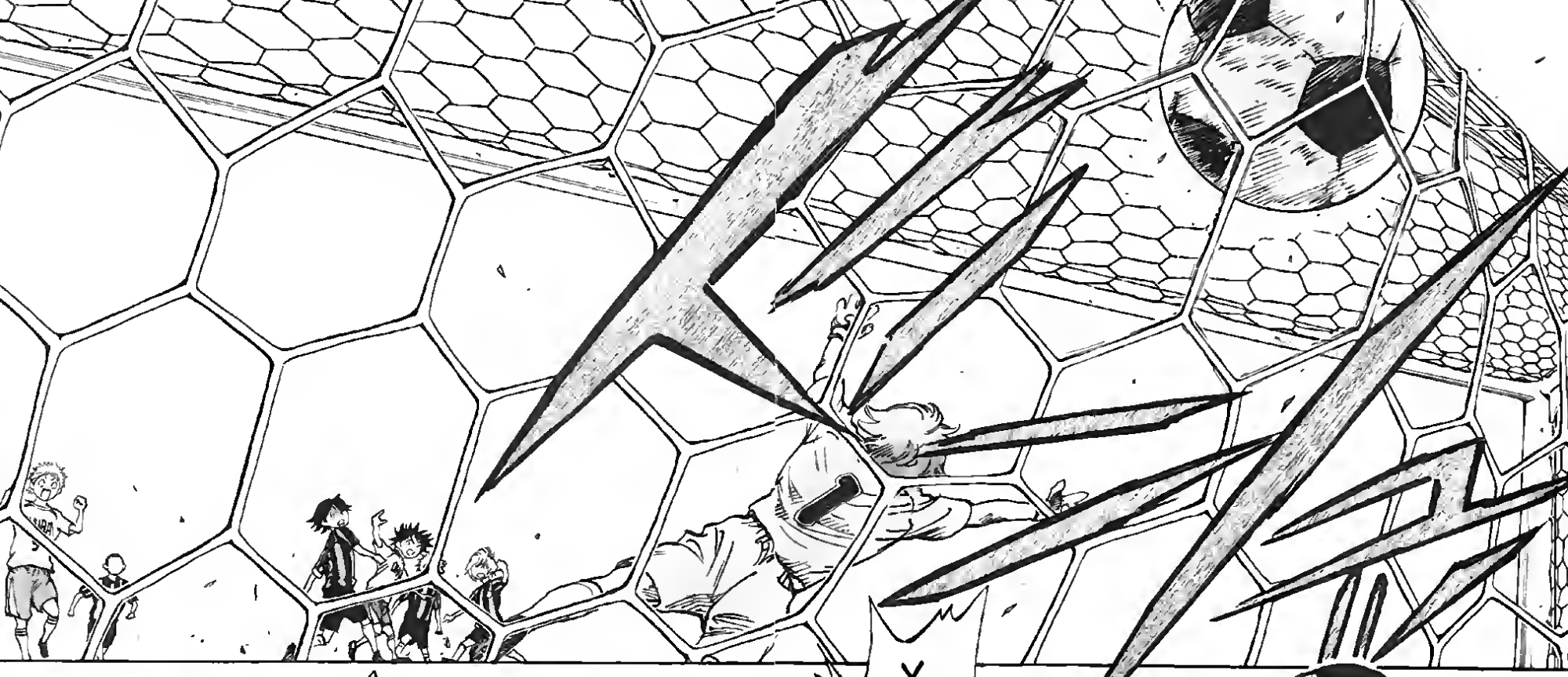

YESSSSSSS!

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RYUU-CHAN!

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NICE SHOT!!

AWESOME SHOT!

KYAAA! RYUU-CHAN!

THEIR STYLE MAY BE DIFFERENT, BUT ICHIJOU IS REALLY GOOD TOO!!
OHJIRA
10
HE'S ON DIFFERENT LEVEL!
I KNEW YOU WERE AWESOME, RYUU-CHAN!!
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BE BLUES! ～青になれ～

update

I am currently working on releasing the first volume but sadly I'm lacking the man power to keep the series going on my own.

Contact "BlackHippy" on Bato.to if you are interested in keeping this project alive.

Thank You